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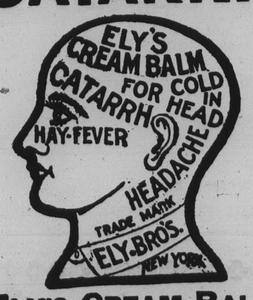

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JOHN LOUNIBOS,
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Cupid In the Blizzard.

By CECILY ALLEN.

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The Silver-Hess wedding, the absentmindedness of Mrs. Graves and the unprecedented November blizzard worked together for the good of Roland Baxter.

The Silver-Hess wedding was scheduled for Denver. The absentminded Mrs. Graves and the relentless blizzard met in Chicago.

Polly Hess had recently moved to Chicago, and when her brother's fiancee wrote that the wedding would occur directly before Thanksgiving day and would she please have a ducky frock of leaf green chiffon cloth to wear as maid of honor Polly instantly decided that Chicago was a very big city and one in which a new dressmaker must be sought with discretion.

Upon her musings entered Mrs. Graves, whose faculty for switching from one topic of conversation to another with lightning rapidity was as amusing to her friends as it was bewildering to new acquaintances. Said Mrs. Graves:

"Of course I can help you out. My friend, Mrs. Baxter—you never did see such clothes. By the way, didn't Mrs. Daly look like a frump at the club meeting Thursday? Now, Mrs. Baxter, my dear—did you ever hear worse violin music than we had on that program? Her address—oh, yes—672 Boulevard. Dear child, however did you train your lashes to curl like that?"

An hour later Roland Baxter, looking into the wonderful violet eyes beneath those same curling lashes, immediately decided that eyes, lashes and the owner thereof had dropped straight from heaven.

The Baxter maid was standing in the private hallway of the Baxter apartment explaining to Polly Hess that Mrs. Baxter was not yet up. Would Miss Hess call later in the day? Mrs. Baxter expected to be home all afternoon.

And at this instant the eldest scion of the house of Baxter added earnestly: "You'll surely find her here about 4. Do come back. She would be sorry to miss you."

Then by exerting all his will power he managed to stand perfectly still and watch the violet eyed angel take her departure.

Polly Hess walked through the sharp November air, feeling oddly bewildered.

"It must have been the place, and her name is Baxter, but I'm afraid her prices are way beyond me. She must be dreadfully smart, and I suppose she has to go out late to theaters and things to see the styles, but she ought to be up by 10 o'clock. Maybe she has a good forewoman. Anyhow, I am coming back. Dear me, it must be lovely to be able to buy frocks without figuring on the rent the dressmaker makes you help to pay."

At 3:50 Roland Baxter strolled into his mother's drawing room. The tea things were arranged on a convenient table, but the afternoon lowered, and guests would probably be few. Mrs. Baxter closed her magazine.

"Anything wrong at the office, Roland?" she inquired.

"No. Just thought I'd knock off. It's a hideous afternoon downtown, and pretty women around a tea table can make you forget the worst weather."

His astute mother was for once nonplused. Roland a willing sacrifice on the altar of her afternoon tea table! And then the maid announced Miss Hess.

"Oh, dear!" mourned Mrs. Baxter as she laid down her magazine. "I wonder what charity she represents."

Polly Hess paused, bewildered, in the doorway. Then, with a laugh tinged with dismay and just a little hysteria, she cried:

"Oh, now I know there is something wrong. Please, please forgive me. I've made such a dreadful mistake."

Mrs. Baxter stood midway between her chair and her flushed guest.

"Perhaps if you would explain"—

"Yes, do let me explain. I was looking for a dressmaker, and Mrs. Graves"—

"Mrs. Graves! Do not say another word. I can say it for you. Mrs. Graves admired a new frock I was showing her yesterday. She asked me for the address of my dressmaker. You asked her about a dressmaker, and she gave you my address when she thought she was giving you the dressmaker's. That's just like her."

The two women laughed in concert and then suddenly paused. Both had caught the rumble of masculine laughter and realized that Roland had risen and was standing, altogether expectant in attitude and expression.

"My son, Miss— Do tell me your name and stop for a cup of tea," murmured Mrs. Baxter, eager to relieve the girl's embarrassment. "Miss Hess? My son, Roland, light the alcohol stove and ring for some of that strawberry jam you love."

Mrs. Baxter meant only to undo the mischief wrought by her voluble and inaccurate friend, but in a few minutes she was sincerely interested in her charming if unexpected guest.

They had mutual friends in Denver, and Polly's great-grandfather and Mrs. Baxter's great-uncle had fought in the same regiment during the war of 1812.

So it happened that Roland Baxter was just wondering whether the ambrosia of the gods and strawberry jam sandwiches were interchangeable terms when somewhere far off a soft chime struck five times.

With the exquisite flush which was one of her best points Polly sprang to her feet.

"You've been so perfectly charming, Mrs. Baxter, that I've lost all track of time, and now it must be quite dark."

Mrs. Baxter was bending her head in listening attitude.

"Roland, that sounds like sleet. It must be storming."

Young Baxter hastened to the window and uttered an exclamation of dismay.

"The worst ever. You can't think of going out in it, Miss Hess."

"Oh, but I must! Please telephone for a cab. Mother will be so anxious."

Baxter rang up the nearest cab station.

"What's that? You wouldn't send a horse out in this storm? Are you running an animal society or a transportation line?"

Brief silence, then a prolonged whistle, and the receiver was hung up with decision.

"No venturing out for you, Miss Hess," he remarked, with unconcealed satisfaction. "It's a blizzard, the sort we usually get in February, and it's been tying up the town while we've been drinking tea."

"Oh, but I must! Mother will worry. Whatever shall I do?"

Polly's cheeks were pale now, and her dimples had faded.

"Do, my dear? Why, we will telephone your mother before the wires are down," interrupted Mrs. Baxter. "I trust your grocer and butcher beat the blizzard, and if you will be my guest until the storm is over"—

Impulsive Polly sprang forward and clasped the hand of her hostess.

"You are so splendid. I wish I could say what I feel"— And then, catching the light of a pair of hazel eyes watching her above the telephone book, she said "Oh!" very suddenly and turned her face the other way.

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It was 11. The couple from the floor below who had come up for a game of whist had taken their departure. Mrs. Baxter was making the rounds of her apartment to be sure that all was fast against the storm, which still raged furiously. Polly and Roland stood in the round bay window looking down the storm blocked boulevard.

"What a cruel thing a big storm is!" said Polly.

"Not this storm. I think it is the finest old blizzard that ever blizzed." He tried hard to look into her eyes. "If I could just tell you what this blizzard means to me"—

He had been drawing her toward him with his glance, but now she drew back and summoned all her dimples.

"Please, please, not now, not here. It is your house, you see, and I'd have to be polite."

"Don't you want to be polite?" urged Roland Baxter significantly.

"I don't know. Oh, you are not playing fair. It's so soon"—

"Nothing of the sort," interrupted Roland recklessly. "It happened at 10 o'clock this morning. I remember the chimes ringing just as I looked into your eyes for the first time."

And again Polly Hess said "Oh!" which, oddly enough, seemed to satisfy her companion, for he dropped the heavy curtains, blotting out all sight of the raging elements, and drew her back into the circle of crimson shaded lamplight.

Cannibal Cows.

"Now, children," said the pretty teacher, "I want you all to write a composition on the cow. You know what a cow is. You know that a cow gives us all the milk we drink. Now, write me something original about the cow as you know her, nothing commonplace." It would take several pages to print the results, but there is room for at least one composition by a girl of seven:

"A cow is a quadruped having four legs and four feet. She gives milk and sometimes has horns, but not always. The cow's baby is called a calf and sometimes bossy. When a cow talks she lows. A cow with horns can hook, but a cow without horns is helpless. A cow is a carnivorous animal when she has a chance, but she ordinarily eats grass, if there is any. A cow is a cannibal if you let her alone, for she will eat her own kind."

The horrified teacher exclaimed: "Sallie May, where on earth did you get the idea, the ridiculous idea, that a cow is carnivorous and a cannibal? You meant to say that a cow is herbivorous or graminivorous."

"No, teacher. I read it in the Holy Bible. Don't you remember there were seven fine fat cows feeding near a brook and seven lean and hungry cows came and ate them up? See Genesis xli, 4."

Teacher reserved decision.—New York Press.

What Generosity Means.

"Many people get the credit of being generous who never felt a single generous impulse in their lives," says a close student of human nature.

"Their generosity, so called, has consisted simply in formal, cold, grudging almsgiving, carried out at the call of duty and unaccompanied by any spontaneous burst of feeling or sympathy.

"The highest generosity is full of strong, unhesitating self effacement and always inspires, except in debased natures, feelings of gratitude and affection. Almsgiving is one of the least of its attributes. It more often takes the form of helpfulness, sympathy and understanding. It gives forth compassion and encouragement of a kind which is far beyond money value.

"The secret of generosity is unselfishness, and the way to acquire it is to cultivate universal love and sympathy."—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

A Wheat Hospital.

"This wheat has been through the hospital," said a miller. "I can tell by the fine polish on the grains. Wheat that has been through the hospital for smut disease comes out better than well wheat."

The wheat grains, in truth, shone so that one could almost see one's face in them.

"You can see your face in them, can't you?" said the miller. "And no wonder. They've been through drastic treatment—drastic. Smut is a nasty disease, a kind of mold, that changes the starch and gluten in wheat to a black powder. When you see flour full of black specks it is a sign that some of the wheat was smutted. The cure is first to wash the wheat thoroughly. Then you dry it. Then you scour it. Then you dry it again. Finally you brush it. Wheat hospitals—they are found in most grain elevators nowadays—have big machines for washing, drying, scouring and brushing the grain, and wheat on its very last legs comes out of those infirmaries as spruce and blooming as a football girl."—Buffalo Express.

An Astrologer's Letter.

An astrologer's letter to President Van Buren forecasting the results of his election in 1840 is in the library of congress and perhaps gives a crude idea of some of the fallacies of our grandfathers. The following are some extracts: "In this horoscope the ascendant directed to the semisquare of Mars would be in operation about the middle of the fourth year, October, 1785, and might cause sickness, * * * flux or hurt by wounds," etc. * * * "I have opened the horoscope for General Harrison, which accords with the chief events of his past life and which if right he will not fill the office of president during the next term even if elected. And the danger I apprehend to yourself is not from your public opponents, but from those on whom you repose confidence." Those who are superstitious may be inclined to credit this star gazer with some measure of wisdom, for Harrison, although elected, died a month after his inauguration.—New York Post.

Home Loving Montenegrins.

Nowhere is love of country more intense than among the Montenegrins, to whom exile is the greatest of punishments. When W. J. Stillman was there in the seventies all the free men were away fighting, and he observed that when a messenger was wanted the official took a man out of the prison and sent him off, with no fear that he would not return. One such messenger was sent to Cattaro, in Austrian territory, with a large sum of money for the bank, and he duly came back. Another asked a Russian at Cattaro to intercede with Prince Nicholas for his release from prison. "But you are not in prison," said the Russian. "Oh," said the man, "I have only come down for a load of skins for So-and-so, but I must go into prison again when I get back to Cettinje." One prison guard watched all the prisoners when they sunned themselves out of doors, and if he was called away a prisoner would take his rifle and act as sentry for the time.

Abroad.

Abroad is a locality entirely surrounded by seasickness. In another view it is a bourne more or less mysterious, bounded on its farther side by your income and on its hither side by custom houses where you have to declare everything you bring back with you except a foreign accent and one change of hosiery.

Abroad is where—

1. They put
   a. Labels all over your luggage and
   b. It all over you.
2. You are almost always going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and the good Samaritan invariably wants a tip.

Abroad is the stage of history, but that is only because history made the too common mistake of not seeing America first.—Puck.

Keeping Up the Limit.

In J. Comyns Carr's reminiscences is a characteristic anecdote of Burne-Jones, who had consulted his doctor about certain symptoms which seemed alarming.

"How many cigars do you smoke in a day?" the doctor inquired of his patient, to which Burne-Jones had carelessly replied, "Oh, I think about six." "Well," replied his adviser, "for the present you had better limit yourself to three." And in detailing the incident to me afterward Burne-Jones added, with a chuckle, "You know, my dear Carr, I never did smoke more than three."

Nicotine.

"If excessive smoking alone could cause heart degeneration," writes a correspondent of the London Mail, "such cases would be common instead of extremely rare. The fact is that only an almost infinitesimal amount of nicotine is absorbed in smoking. An ordinary sized cigar or an ounce of smoking tobacco contains enough of this virulent poison to kill two men. The only reason all smokers are not killed at once is that the nicotine is destroyed in the combustion of the leaf."

Procrastination.

"Why is procrastination said to be the thief of time?" asked the teacher

"'Cause it takes a fellow so long to say it," answered the bright boy at the foot of the class.—Chicago News.

Either Way.

Psmith—I'd invite you home to dinner with me, but we have no cook. Kjones—And I'd invite you home with me, but we have one.—Cleveland Leader.

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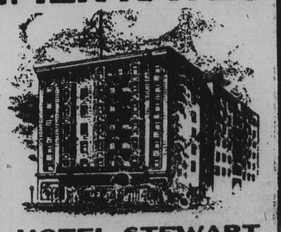

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Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., Jan. 16, 1909.

H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

The Storm.

The storm that has been raging all over the coast the past week has been a record-breaker There has been a tremendous fall of snow in the high Sierra and the rainfall in the interior valleys and along the coast has been a steady downpour. Much damage is reported from the flood waters which have filled most of California's rivers to overflowing. Stockton, Sacramento and other interior cities are in great danger of inundation, bridges and railway tracks have been washed away, thousands of acres of cultivated land have been flooded and power, light, telegraph and telephone lines have been put out of commission. But much of the loss and inconvenience occasioned by the storm which is now raging in full force will be compensated for by the future benefits to be derived in a general sense. The rain, which has been a warm one, has been of immense value to growing crops and pasturage, while the heavy snowfall in the Sierra will insure accelerated power to our electric plants and an abundance of water for the great irrigation districts of the State.

Here, in our own God-favored little valley, which knows no drouth or floods, the precipitaiion is doing a world of good, and insures good crops and pasturage and a season oi prosperity for our farmers and dairymen.

SPLENDID PERFORMANCE

Although the rain fell in torrents a crowded house gretted the Frank Cooley theatrical troupe in this plaee Thursday evening. The previous performances of this company were fresh in the minds of our theatre-goers and even though it was raining pitchforks with tines downward, they were not to be denied. They were well repaid, too, for braving the elements as the performance, the comedy-drama entitled "Utah," was a splendid one.

Friday night this excellent company was greeted with another crowded house, the English comedy "The Brixton Burglary," as rendered by Frank Cooley's company being the principal attraction. Although Jupiter Pluvius got out his hammer and turned loose the flood-gates of the heavens on the heads of our devoted people in order to "knock" the show, he had his pains for nothing as they turned out in greater numbers than before.

We verily believe the theatre-going people of this city rather than be denied the pleasure of witnessing one of Frank Cooley's shows would put on life preservers and make a swim for it.

THE ITALIAN RELIEF FUND IS GROWING

Sonoma Adds Her Mite to Assist the Earthquake Victims — Local Contributions Continue to Increase.

Allen Knight, Treasurer of the American National Red Cross, San Francisco, has acknowledged the receipt of $147.85 subscribed last week by the people of Sonoma and vicinity to the Italian Relief Fund and forwarded to him by Chas. Dal Poggetto of this place on behalf of our people.

The receipts last week were $158.10 and subscriptions are coming in daily Following are the total contributions received by Mr. Dal Poggetto to date:

Reported last week	$158 10
This week's contributions—	
P Lorenzo	1 00
L. Modini	1 00
A. Fraueschi	1 50
P. Lagorce	5 00
G. Equi	2 00
L. Massucco	50
L. Quartaroli	1 00
Mrs. A. D. Lowell	2 00
A. Froment	2 50
N. J. Heggie	1 00
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HOCKER SELLS OUT.

W. O. Hocker, after struggling along with his newspaper, the Expositor, for a number of years, has sold out his plant to C. H. Newman, a car-repairer of Schellville, who will assume control next week. We wish his successor success and trust that his investment will enable him to live off the flesh pots of Egypt and enjoy all those other good things in life which are denied to all other people except the country editor, whose purse is always plethoric and whose only wail is heard during the winter months when the wood-pile is running low, and he gasps out in his columns, "wood taken for subscriptions."

The Expositor since it was started about a dozen years ago has changed hands nine times. It has been conducted in turns by a student, a chicken-raiser, a preacher, a jeweler, book-agent, commercial traveler and a school-master, all of whom in time had to give up a calling for which nature never intended them and drifted back into their former occupations.

It looks mighty easy to run a rural newspaper, don't it? Well, it is easy to those who have learned the business, but for amatenrs it is a struggle from start to finish. But then, you know, all such have the satisfaction of having been called some time during their lives an "editor."

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

Wise Talks by the Office Boy.

I'm reading up on the sayings of the good book every Sunday evening now, and I want to tell you, some of those proverbs are pazazas, all right. One thing that caught me strong was the saw of Solomon's, that a wise son maketh a good father I couldn't help thinking how happy Pa must be. But Ma says, "Look out, young man, remember that Solomon also said, 'Pride goeth before a fall.'" I guess I'll take a swift tumble first, then pride can't get any of the best of me.

Another wise man said, "There's a destiny that shapes our ends," but Pa says, "If destiny tries to down you, square off and soak him one. Hit up the pace—break out of the rear ranks; make a dash to the front; just as easy to be a leader as a trailer. Take no man's dust!" Gee, that's the real cayenne, but we want the dust.

I know we have a line of juvenile togs that won't take the dust from anybody. They come as nearly being dust proof and tear proof as any kid clothes that are made, and that's saying a good deal.

Be sure to see our school suits at $3.75 and $6.00. WILLIE.

With the Sonoma Racket Store,
Raymond Bros., Props.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of thanking our friends and neighbors for their kind sympathy and appreciated assistance during our recent bereavement occasioned by the loss of our dear mother, who passed away on Saturday last.

L. QUARTAROLI & FAMILY.
F. QUARTAROLI & FAMILY.
R. QUARTAROLI & FAMILY.

Sonoma, January 16th, 1909.

Attended Directors Meeting at California Home

C. E. Haven and Jos. P. Berry of Santa Rosa, Directors of the California Home, attended a meeting of the board of managers at Eldridge Thursday.

The General Demand

of the Well-Informed of the World has always been for a simple, pleasant and efficient liquid laxative remedy of known value; a laxative which physicians could sanction for family use because its component parts are known to them to be wholesome and truly beneficial in effect, acceptable to the system and gentle, yet prompt, in action.

In supplying that demand with its excellent combination of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, the California Fig Syrup Co. proceeds along ethical lines and relies on the merits of the laxative for its remarkable success.

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YOU MAY NOT NEED IT NOW.

Put it in Some Safe Place, For it May Come in Handy Some Day.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe. Try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion one-half ounce; Compound Kargon one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here in town is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easy mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul, decomposed waste matter which cause these afflictions Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

Notice to Creditors

Estate of LUDWIG MATTHIAS JOHANNSEN, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Hans E. Johannsen, executor of the will and estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, on the East side of the Plaza, in Sonoma City, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

HANS E JOHANNSEN,
Executor of the will and estate of Ludwig Matthias Johannsen, deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, Cal., December 26th, 1908.

ROBERT A. POPPE, Attorney for Estate.

First publication December 26th, 1908.

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When every bite you eat seems to turn to gas and your stomach and intestines cause you endless discomfort, it is an unfailing sign that your entire system needs a thorough housecleaning.

Nature's Remedy
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Estray Notice

Came to my premises on or about November 1st, 1908, one dark Jersey cow, about three years old. Owner is requested to come forward, prove ownership, pay charges and take the animal away.

P. W. LA GRANGE.

Sonoma, January 2, 1909.

Warning Notice.

Hunting and trespassing on my premises, the Snyder ranch, south of Sonoma is strictly prohibited under penalty of the law.

CHAS. STORNETTI.

Sonoma, October 31, 1908.

WARNING NOTICE.

We the undersigned, lessees of the Vallejo ranch, hereby give notice that parties found hunting or in any wise trespassing upon the above-mentioned ranch will be arrested and prosecuted to the full extent of the law. L. MONTALDO.
S. FALCO.

LADIES' VISITING CARDS

AT THE

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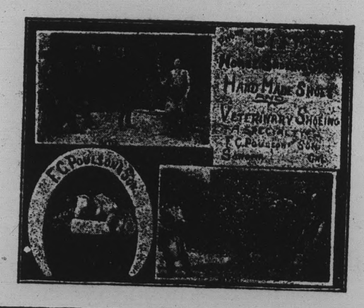

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Index-Tribune.

SONOMA, JAN. 16, 1909.

Official Paper of Sonoma.

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WEEKLY RESUME OF CONDENSATIONS.

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Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it. *

The Sonoma Grammar school reopens Monday after a vacation of four weeks.

Philip Bill, Jr., and Chas. Nau killed a thirty-five pound coon Sunday on Rhinefarm, two miles east of town.

Henry Bates attended the Undertakers Association's convention in session in San Francisco several days this week.

Eph. Weiss, the expert refractionist and optician of San Francisco, will be in Sonoma at the Union Hotel, February 2d. *

The High School boys of this place and those of Cloverdale played a match game of basket ball at the latter place on Friday of last week, and the victory resulted for the Sonoma team.

F. C. Poulson has let a contract to Small & Stockwell to erect a corrugated iron blacksmith shop on the site of the old building recently destroyed by fire. Work on the building will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit.

The case of the People vs. Luigi Leo, charged with assault to commit murder will come up for trial in Judge Seawell's department of the Superior Court next Monday. The accused, who is charged with stabbing Giacoma Rigoni in this place one dark night last summer, stoutly maintains his innocence. Leo, who is a poor man, will be defended by attorney H P. Mathewson of this place, who has been employed to defend him by friends who believe he is not the man who committed the crime.

Names from Which Grand Jury Will be Drawn.

Judges Seawell and Denny, sitting in banc Tuesday, selected fifty names from which will be drawn nineteen Grand Jurors to serve during the ensuing term. The names are as follows: Geo. Breitenbach, J. K. Bigelow, Daniel Frideger, G. H. Hotz, B. F. Campbell, James Carmody, A. C. Shelton, Christian Schlache, Jr., L. V. H. Howell, J. D. Williams, Anton J. Perelli, J. B. Cooley, James M. Cowan, A. J. Galaway, Wm. S. Dudley, Alex. H. Flournoy, John H. Gunn, F. A. Petray, J. J. Rein, Chas. Offutt, J. Caltoft, H. J. Poehlmann, Scott Bowles, John W. Bauer, Wm. F. Farrell, D. W. Ravenscroft, J. J. King, Jas. Sorensen, Wm Carr, A. Korbel, Wm, L. Cunningham, F. Pohley, A. S. Gibbons, Charles B. Kobes, Willis Gauldin, B. M. Spencer, H. D. Noonan, Pascal Tremblay, G. H. Dungan, John S. Taylor, Fred. J. Yardle, C C. Belden, N. H. Mansfield, Elmont Brooks, C. Stengel, Wm. Evart, Wm. H. Evarts, Wm. A. Mills, Wm. M. Rutherford, Geo. E. Remmel, C. L. C. Petersen.

ANOTHER PIONEER ANSWERS SUMMONS

The Passing of O. B. Shaw Removes an Old and Respected Citizen From Our Midst

O. B. Shaw is dead! This was whispered in hushed tones from mouth to mouth last Wednesday, for the deceased had been for years one of our leading and most respected citizens and was well-known to all the old families of the valley. Although his passing was not unexpected it has created a great void in our midst.

Mr. Shaw, who had long been a patient sufferer, passed calmly away at his home in the eastern suburbs of town at an early hour Wednesday morning surrounded by his family.

The deceased came to California in those early days of which the new generation reads so much about. He eventually located in this valley and engaged in farming and has lived among us for years. He was a man of fine character and sterling worth and was held in high esteem by his neighbors for miles round. His passing removes from our midst one more of those rugged pioneers who helped make California what she is today.

A widow and two sons, Dr. Herbert Shaw, U. S. A., and Harry Shaw of this place, survive him. Miss Annie Pemberton, well-known in church circles in this city, is a stepdaughter.

Mr. Shaw was a native of Vermont and aged 81 years 4 months and 25 days when he died.

An Affinity Comes Between Man and Wife

A Santa Rosa dispatch to the Chronicle of Tuesday says: "Mrs. Annie Stoneberg, wife of Theodore Stoneberg, a rancher residing near Sonoma, began divorce proceedings here Monday, alleging extreme cruelty.

"Among other things the plaintiff alleges that on the occasion of their recent trip to Europe, and while they were visiting in Denmark, her husband found an affinity in the person of Miss Sophie Erickson, and that he induced her to return to this country with them. En route she alleges that her husband was unceasing in his attentions to the young woman, and that they were frequently in each other's company and engaged in earnest conversations. Since they have returned to their home near Sonoma, Mrs. Stoneberg says that her husband and the young woman are frequently in each other's company and often go out together. She alleges that her husband has suggested to her that she get a divorce, and in other ways has been cruel to her.

"On one occasion, she says, he threatened to commit suicide in her presence and greatly frightened her. In many other ways, she avers, he has sought to get her to leave him."

Free Vegetable Seed

U. S. Senator Geo. C. Perkins has forwarded to this office from the Department of Agriculture, Washington, a quantity of vegetable seed for free distribution to our readers in this valley. The varieties include bean, kale, lettuce, beet, radish, tomato and muskmelon seeds. Parties desiring these seed will please call at this office.

Exceeded the Limit.

Clarence Nauman, the well-known wing shot, has been charged by Deputy Game and Fish Commissioner Fairchild with exceeding the bag limit on ducks.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune only $9 for the two newspapers.

Lincoln Centenary.

The mass meeting called last Monday evening by Mayor Breitenbach to make arrangements for the proper observance of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of the great emancipator, Abraham Lincoln, was well attended. A committee was appointed consisting of Robt. A. Poppe, chairman; Prof. Russell and Jesse Prestwood, to make the necessary arrangements for honoring one of the greatest characters in the history of our country.

THE DEMURRERS ARE SUSTAINED.

City of Sonoma Gains a Point in Suit Instituted by Quartaroli, et al.

In the suit instituted against the City of Sonoma by L. Quartaroli, Norman J. Heggie, Chas. Dal-Pogetto and Julius Fochetti, to recover the sum $3,629.65, value of a quantity of building material used in the constructon of the New City Hall, alleged to belong to plaintiffs, the city won its first point in the contest in the Superior Court, on Friday of last week.

The demurrers which had been interposed by City Attorney Poppe to the complaint were sustained by Judge Denny, on the grounds that the complaint is uncertain.

This is only a preliminary skirmish to a battle royal that will be fought out in the courts by Hon. J. C. Sims, the attorney for plaintiffs, to secure for them their rights in this matter.

The plaintiffs are among Sonoma's leading citizens and in seeking to recover the amount alleged to be due them from the city, in the opinion of our people, are claiming only what is justly due them.

Death of Aged People

Mrs Frosini Quartaroli, the aged mother of Leonido, Frank and Rafael Quartaroli, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Quartaroli last Saturday. The old lady, who had reached the extreme age of 81 years, was a native of Pocari, Italy. Funeral services were held in St. Francis' Church Monday afternoon and the remains interred in Mountain Cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine Elizabeth Martens, mother of Mrs. Chas. J. Poppe, August and Julius Martens, of Glen Ellen, died at her home in that place Monday. The deceased was a native of Germany and aged 65 years and five months. The funeral took place Wednesday in Glen Ellen, the remains being followed to their final resting place in Mountain Cemetery by a large concourse of relatives and friends.

Automobile and Wagon Collide.

George J. Fetters' big red automobile and Jack Kelly's delivery wagon collided on Napa street opposite Dr. Thomson's residence just after dark Tuesday evening. The impact spilled Jack and a companion out of his rig but fortunately both escaped with slight bruises. The wagon was but slightly damaged as the big auto was going very slow when the collision took place.

Now Open for Business

The Pioneer French City Bakery which has been closed ever since the fire several weeks ago, has resumed baking and is now open for business. Mr. and Mrs. Castex are now better prepared than ever to serve customers with well baked and wholesome bread.

It Quiets the Cough

This is one reason why Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is so valuable in consumption. It stops the wear and tear of useless coughing. But it does more—it controls the inflammation, quiets the fever, soothes, heals. Ask your doctor about this.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

Hasten recovery by keeping the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills.

A Retired Police Officer—An Episode of His Life

Mr. Jerome J. Hickey, a retired officer of the San Francisco Police Department and a well-known resident of this valley, was summoned to the metropolis Monday to undergo a physical examination before the new Police Commissioners recently appointed by Mayor Taylor, as to whether or not he was still entitled to be on the retired list. He passed the examination to the satisfaction of the commissioners and will not be compelled to return to active duty.

Mr. Hickey is one of the best-known ex-police officers of San Francisco and served with credit on the force for many years. He was known as a brave and fearless officer who never shirked his duty no matter what the odds were against him, and previous to his being put upon the retired list this fearlessness nearly cost him his life and permanently crippled his good, strong right arm.

It was while on duty on his beat one dark night, some years ago, he detected two burglars in the act of breaking into a house. They were operating in the basement of the dwelling in fancied security from detection. Alone and unaided he crept upon the men and pouncing them grabbed them by the scurf of their necks and placed them under arrest. At this juncture one of the burglars suddenly raised a wicked-looking knife and made a lunge at the officer, who raising his right arm to ward off the blow, received a frightful gash across the right wrist which served all the tendons and artery. Seeing that he was bleeding to death and with one hand only to defend himself officer Hickey released his hold upon the men and blew his police whistle for assistance. The burglars then made good their escape and were never apprehended. Help soon came to the officer in answer to his call and he was found nearly dead from loss of blood, and what saved his life was the fact that a surgeon was providentially near at hand.

It was this last encounter with the lawless element of the metropolis that incapacitated the intrepid officer from active duty, and he is now leading a life free from danger, surrounded by his family, on his little farm near this city.

Defaulting Bank Cashier Indicted

E. Rowland, the defaulting cashier of the Healdsburg Bank, has been indicted on five counts by the Grand Jury. He has been admitted to bail in the sum of $15,000 pending his arraignment before the Superior Court of this county.

One of the indictments charges Rowland with the embezzlement of $10,000, money paid into the bank by the Windsor and Trenton Wineries, in payment of a loan, which money Rowland is alleged to have never credited on the books. Another indictment alleges a similar sum was paid in by the same concern and was not credited on the books.

The third indictment alleges that $5,000 paid into the bank by the Italian Swiss Colony was not credited on the books by Rowland.

The fourth indictment alleges that Rowland charged Charles Wagele, who resides near Healdsburg, with a loan of $1,000. Wagele says he never borrowed a cent from the bank and therefore the loan was entirely a fictitious one

The fifth alleges that R. G Cook paid $1,036 into the bank and Rowland never credited Cook with the payment on the books, allowing it, as in the case with the other sums specified to remain on the books as a credit of the bank. Cook alleges that he paid the money to Rowland personally.

It was stated Saturday that had the Grand Jury desired it could probably have returned some forty indictments against Rowland. There are many other specific sums alleged to have been embezzled by Rowland that were unearthed as a result of an examination of the books. These five indictments will suffice for the present at any rate.

$100 REWARD $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all druggists, 75 cents.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

If you have subscribed and do not see your name in the above column drop us a line.

CASTORIA. Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Doings of the Various Sets Throughout the Town and Valley.

Miss Isabel Trudgen spent Sunday in San Rafael.

Dr. R. D. Van Amringe spent Sunday in the metropolis.

Mrs. E. R. Bryant of San Mateo visited relatives here Sunday.

Dr. Francis Leix was in the metropolis on Saturday of last week.

Eugene Oppliger, our local jeweler, is spending a few days with friends in Bakersfield.

Miss Estella Bill returned from San Francisco last Sunday evening after a two-week's visit with friends in that city.

Prof. Moore and Miss Moore, teachers in our High School, returned from their vacations in San Francisco Sunday evening.

W. S. Miller, Treasurer of the Standard Oil Company, San Francisco, visited his country home in the eastern suburbs of town last Sunday.

Prof. Jesse Prestwood, principal of the Sonoma Grammar School, and family returned Monday from their vacation in the northern part of the county.

D. A. Biddle, representing the N. K. Fairbank Company of New Orleans and Chicago, manufacturers of Cottolene, was in town the fore part of the week looking after the interests of his company.

NO INDIGESTION OR DYSPEPSIA.

Makes Misery From an Upset Stomach Vanish in Five Minutes

Every family here ought to keep some Diapepsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards.

If your meals don't tempt you or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take one triangule after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fuliness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or Intestinal griping. This will all go and besides there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Actual prompt relief for all your stomach misery is at your Pharmacist, waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.

The Daily Chronicle, Call or Examiner an Index-Tribune $9.00 per year.

The Ohm Estate.

Florence S. Shirley has petitioned the Superior Court of this county to be appointed administratrix of the estate of Mrs. Cornelia G. Ohm.

The petition cities that Mary Dodge Riley of San Francisco, a sister of the deceased, who was named administratrix of the estate some years ago, was recently adjudged insane and committed to the Stockton asylum, leaving the estate without a competent guardian.

The property of the Ohm estate, which has been appraised at ten thousand dollars, is still undistributed. Andrew C. Maguire of San Francisco is the attorney for the petitioner.

DOINGS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Judges Seawell and Denny Dispose of the Usual Calendar Day Cases

The calendar day proceedings in the Superior Court on Monday were as follows:

In Judge Denny's department the will of James Daly was admitted to probate and Elizabeth Widemann was named executrix.

The final account of the estate of Robert T. Seavy was transferred to department 1.

Robert G. Cook was named administrator on the estate of Abiah H. Cook in a bond of $1,114

The annual account of the estate of L. G. Maggiora was settled and allowed.

These probate matters went over: Estate of John Paul, Bayler, Frank Pomi, John Bayler, Mary O'Brien, B. H Riley and Annie Gibson to January 18; estates of Martha A. Rea and W. E. Bridge to January 25.

The trials of the suits of the Petaluma Realty Company vs. A. Thompson was set for February 18; Conniff vs. Conniff, for March 9; Decker vs. Graham for March 18.

The suit of Whitaker vs. Ansell was dropped from the calendar.

The suit of Elsie Ketchum vs. Preston Ketchum was submitted.

The suit of the William Hill Company vs. Crites et al., was dropped from the calendar.

These civil matters were continued: Hall vs. Nesbitt et al, Bollinger vs. Bollinger, to January 25; Harrigan vs. Harrigan to January 18.

In Judge Seawell's department the calendar was as follows:

In the suit of the Golden Eagle Milling Co. vs. Halleck et al., the city of Petaluma was given permission to intervene.

The case of the State against A. B. Silva was set for trial February 24.

Five days additional time was granted in the suit of Mary J. Shaw vs. Town of Sebastopol to prepare a bill of exceptions.

In the case of the State against James O'Conner the information was dismissed and an order was made to amend the facts.

The demurrer in the suit of the Horn-Sinclair Co. vs. Lewis, was argued and submitted.

These matters were continued: Souza vs. Souza to January 18, Davis vs. Davis, Humphrey vs. Humphrey, McInnis vs. McInnis, to January 25; People vs. Armstrong, to February 8.

The will of D. B. Fairbanks was admitted to probate.

The demurrer was overruled in the case of Gatsch vs. Gotsch.

The Petaluma Rock Company's suits, the two suits of Sullivan vs. Canavasceni went over to January 18.

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COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

Excerpts from Our Local Exchanges of Happenings the Past Week.

J. B Hinkle, a pioneer resident of this county and father of Mrs. J. P. Rodgers of Petaluma and Mrs. F. K. Zook and Mrs. W. W. Morrow of San Rafael, died at his home in Palo Alto on Sunday.

She caught him and then let him go is what Mrs. Elsie Ketchum did with her husband John Ketchum, whom she divorced in Judge Denny's court Monday on the ground of failure to provide. T. J. Butts, who is an adept in untying the matrimonial knots of the preachers, was the attorney for the plaintiff.

Supervisor Armstrong, who is under a cloud owing to the recent action of the Grand Jury in charging him with malfeasance in office, has given out that he will resign his office at the February meeting of the Board and pay into the County Treasury the $614 shortage in his road bill accounts. It is also reported that he will also resign his office as City Trustee of Sebastopol. True to his word, Mr. Armstrong on Monday handed District Attorney Lea $614, which sum was then turned over to County Treasurer Murdock, $347.75 being placed to the credit of the Magnolia road district and $266.25 to the credit of Marin road district. These sums represent the amount of money alleged by the Grand Jury to have been wrongfully collected from the county by means of false claims for material. The Supervisor also handed in his resignation to the Board on Monday afternoon, and the vacancy will be filled by Gov. Gillett.

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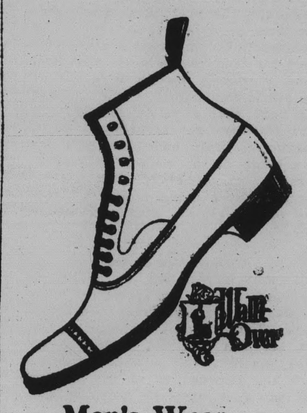

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HER MISTAKE.

The Way It Was Explained to Her by the Clumsy Man.

Owing to the fact that the car lurched suddenly as he was passing along the aisle Bronson was deprived of his balance, with the result that in attempting to save himself from falling he clutched one of the shoulders of a handsome woman who had succeeded in getting a seat. Moreover, he knocked her beautiful hat awry and with great difficulty avoided stepping on her toes. As he succeeded in recovering his equilibrium the lady turned toward him and said:

"You contemptible pup! I wish you to understand that I am not a lamppost or a piece of furniture to be clung to for support. You ought to ride in a cattle train. You have no right to crowd in where you can tear other people to pieces with your big, awkward hands. You pitiful clown! You ought to be thrown out into the street. You are not fit to be allowed to go where you are likely to interfere with the comfort of refined people. You unmannerly bumpkin! You deserve to be"—

"Excuse me, madam," Bronson managed to say, "you have made a mistake."

"A mistake!" the lady demanded, her eyes flashing with wrath. "What do you mean?"

"I am not your husband."—Chicago Record-Herald.

THE CLERMONT.

First Passage by Steamboat From New York to Albany.

In August, 1808—the exact day is a matter of dispute—the steamboat Clermont made the first passage by steam from New York to Albany. The distance, somewhat less than 150 miles, was covered in thirty-two hours, a record hailed as a triumph in speed, for previously the passage between the two cities averaged four days.

Robert Fulton had experimented with steam several years, but the Clermont was the first boat he constructed on a large scale. As he could not get the engine he wanted in this country he ordered one from England. The Clermont was so reconstructed in the following winter that it gave more commodious accommodations to travelers, and the year 1808, which was the first year of regular travel by steamboat, Fulton made it a point to start his boat precisely on scheduled time. Curiously enough, a portion of the public complained of this. It was not until well along in the summer that travelers got accustomed to it. Previously boats had been held for two hours at the request of passengers who weren't ready. Fulton's perseverance won public approval before the season closed.—Anaconda Standard.

Cleared His Doubts.

A well known English gentleman engaged a tall and powerful highlander to act as gamekeeper on his estate. Having been a considerable time at his post and not having caught any poachers, the gentleman suspected his gamekeeper of carelessness. So one dark night he disguised himself and went out with a gun to poach on his own ground. He had fired only one or two shots when he was suddenly pounced upon from behind and his gun wrenched away. Then kicks and blows were showered upon him until he fell down half insensible. The highlander then walked away quietly, and when the gentleman recovered sufficiently he crawled home and took to his bed for two weeks. He has now no doubts as to whether the man can perform his duty or not.

Home, Sweet Home.

The old man sat on the park seat, rivers of tears flooding his clothes. A sympathetic passerby, noting the high tide, stopped and asked if he were ill.

"Yes, sir," said the sorrowing old fellow. "I've jest 'ad bad news from 'ome. The 'ouse that 'as sheltered me for years is to be torn down, and I 'aven't a penny to my name to stop it. Everybody will be turned out, and goodness knows what'll 'appen to 'em!"

"Poor soul!" said the sympathetic passerby, bestowing a penny on the sad old man. "That isn't much, but you are welcome to it. And where is this old home of yours, my friend?"

"Up at the joil, sir," replied the old man. "It seems very hard. I've lived there five and twenty years."—London Opinion.

How to Make a Cup of Cocoa.

Take a tablespoonful of cocoa and put it in a tin cup. Add one teaspoonful of granulated sugar and one tablespoonful of boiling water. Mix well, so that there will not be any lumps of cocoa. Pour a little less than one-half pint of milk into a saucepan and cook it, stirring all the time, until it is scalded—that is, until a film forms on it and it begins to bubble a little. Stir the cocoa mixture into this and cook until it boils up.—Delineator.

Businesslike.

The Beloved One—You object to Horace because he's not businesslike. Stern Parent—Certainly; he's only after you for your money. Beloved One—Well, pa, doesn't that prove he's businesslike?—Kansas City Independent

Not a Matter of Chance.

The Vicar—Is it true, Samuel, that your father allows games of chance to be played in your house?—The Boy—There ain't no chance about it, zur; they all cheats!—London Opinion.

Where there is much pretension much has been borrowed; nature never pretends.—Lavater.

GOOD BUSINESS.

The Thrifty Young Man Found a Profitable Investment.

A millionaire, hoping to encourage his young son in ways of thrift, promised to give him 2 per cent a month interest upon any money that he might save out of his allowance and deposit in the paternal treasury. The young man was getting £5 a week for pocket money and promised to show his appreciation of his father's affectionate offer. He began to make deposits without delay and kept the practice up with remarkable regularity.

The old gentleman noticed presently that the deposits exceeded the whole of the boy's allowance, but accounted for this by supposing that he had saved some money previously. Besides this, he received money frequently from his mother. So the fond parent rejoiced in the saving disposition that his son was displaying.

This continued until the boy's deposits assumed such dimensions as to demand an explanation. It then turned out that most of the money he had been depositing had been borrowed. Inasmuch as he was drawing interest on his deposits at 2 per cent per month and was paying only 10 per cent per year for them he had found the business decidedly attractive and profitable. —Pearson's Weekly.

THE DEVILFISH.

He Is Not a Man Eater, but a Gently Reared Monster.

Contrary to popular belief, the devilfish is not a man eater, according to an official publication issued by the Smithsonian institution, Washington, after an authoritative study of the subject by Dr. Theodore Gill, associate in zoology in the national museum. "The food of the devilfishes," he says, "so far from being large animals and occasionally a man or so, as has been alleged, appears to be chiefly the small crabs, shrimps and other crustaceans and young or small fishes. Rarely does one prey on large fishes."

Dr. Gill says that in a number of respects the young devilfish grows up under nursing and training remarkably like that of a human being. It is nourished, for instance, from its mother's milk. It is a peculiarity of the devilfish, he adds, that, instead of laying many thousands or millions of eggs, it normally has only a single young one at a birth. A baby devilfish is sometimes as broad as five feet and weighs twenty pounds or more.

Dr. Gill adds that devilfishes move about from place to place in a sort of submarine flight, speeding themselves along by flaps of the long winglike fins.

Day Dreams.

If you have a particular piece of work to do, get it done. Don't wait for the mood to strike you.

Don't dream! There are more precious hours wasted in day dreams than any of us would care to think about if we counted them.

The queer thing about day dreams is that so few of them ever amount to anything. The dreamer is only semiconscious when building his air castles, so, as a rule, they have no practical foundation.

While you are at work, keep your mind on what you are doing, and do not let it wander off to what you would like to be doing. Only by keeping your mind on what you are doing now can you bring it fresh and keen to the things you like doing best when the time for doing them comes. Thinking too much about even great happiness takes the "edge" off it.

The best time for day dreams is after you have gone to bed.—New York American.

The Better Part.

A delightful little story is told of Prosper Merimee, the French author. He was once guest at a royal hunt, when hares, pheasants and other game were driven before the emperor and his followers, and the servants picked up the victims of the sport.

Among all the members of the hunting party Prosper Merimee alone had no trophy to display.

"How does this happen?" asked some one.

"Where game is so plenty the merit of a marksman seems to me to lie in hitting nothing," replied Merimee, with grave courtesy, "so I fired between the birds."

Waiters on Horseback.

In great French houses of days gone by dinner was announced by the blowing of hunting horns, and it is on record that at certain gala feasts the dishes were brought in by servants in full armor mounted upon caparisoned horses, a practice we could only look for during the reign of chivalry. Of the attendants at dinner the carver and server took precedence over all the others. They stood probably on each side of their lord. The server, it may be mentioned, was the officer who placed the dishes on the table.

Tit For Tat.

First Teacher—You told me to remind you to punish Willie Thompson this morning for impudence. Second Teacher—I'll do it tomorrow. I'm called before the school board today for insubordination.—Lippincott's.

A Secret.

Sparks—I wonder why it is a woman lets out everything you tell her? Sharks—My dear boy, a woman has only two views of a secret—either it is not worth keeping or it is too good to keep. —London Opinion.

A great man is made up of qualities that meet or make great occasions.—Lowell.

ANGER IS DANGEROUS.

It Wrecks the Whole System and Tends to Shorten Life.

It is well known that a violent fit of temper affects the heart instantly, and psychophysicists have discovered the presence of poison in the blood immediately after such outburst. This explains why we feel so depressed, exhausted and nervous after any storm of passion—worry, jealousy or revenge—has swept through the mind. It has left in its wake vicious mental poison and other harmful secretions in the brain and blood.

There is no constitution so strong but it will ultimately succumb to the constant racking and twisting of the nerve centers caused by an uncontrolled temper. Every time you become angry you reverse all of the normal mental and physical processes. Everything in you rebels against passion storms; every mental faculty protests against their abuse.

If people only realized what havoc indulgence in hot temper plays in their delicate nervous structure, if they could only see with the physical eyes the damage done as they can see what follows in the wake of a tornado, they would not dare to get angry.

When the brain cells are overheated from a fit of temper their efficiency is seriously impaired, if not absolutely ruined. The presence of the anger poison, the shock to the nervous system, is what makes the victim so exhausted and demoralized after loss of self control.—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

THE BACK OF THE NECK.

Make It Proof Against Drafts and Colds in the Head.

"When I was a boy," said a doctor, "I didn't believe in drafts. I thought that they who imputed colds to drafts were cranks. But one November night at a concert I felt all the evening a strong draft on the back of my neck. It was so strong it resembled a suction pump. 'Now,' said I to myself, 'we'll see if this draft will give yours truly a cold.'"

He shuddered.

"For a week," he said, "I was laid up with so vile a cold that I couldn't breathe save with my mouth open. And now I am satisfied that nine out of every ten colds are solely due to a draft on the back of the neck.

"I know how to prevent such colds. Hence I may practically say that I know how to prevent all colds. It is a fact that none of my patients, thanks to my method, know what a cold is.

"They learn from me to do this—to bathe the back of the neck every morning in cold water. Thus the spot becomes hardened. It becomes draft proof.

"And when a new patient, peculiarly sensitive to colds, visits me, my peculiar treatment is to blow on the back of his neck with a bellows for several days in succession. The bellows, in conjunction with the icy douche, frees him from all future susceptibility. Thenceforth his winters pass without that horrid winter pest, a bad cold."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Colored Preacher's Text.

A colored man in Atlanta, Ga., is a preacher on Sundays and a barber on week days. One of his customers makes it a rule to be first in the chair on Monday morning, when he is sure of being entertained by a resume of "Uncle Rastus'" Sunday dissertation. At night the family always looked for the latest from the colored brother. This was one of his recent effusions:

"Yesterday I took for my text 'Cleanliness am next to godliness,' and I dun reach my climax wid dis argument: 'Now, what day follows Sunday? Why, Monday. Monday is wash day in all well reg'lated families. Monday comes nex' to Sunday; so, my bredden, that settles it that the words of my tex' am true, "Cleanliness am nex' to godliness."'" —Chicago Record-Herald.

Too Much Quiet.

On one occasion the hustling and energetic archbishop of York, Dr. Maclagan, wrote to the vicar in an outlying village suggesting that he should lend his church for the purpose of giving the clergy of the district a "quiet day" for meditation and fraternal reunion. The witty vicar of this sleepy hamlet in the wolds promptly replied:

My Dear Lord Archbishop—Your very kind letter to hand. But what the people in this village want most in their spiritual life is not a "quiet day," but an earthquake.

—London Standard.

An Appeal For Mercy.

"Judge," said the prisoner, "I suppose you're going to soak me."

"You are a habitual offender," replied the judge; "were caught with the stolen goods, and the court will have to do its painful duty."

"I don't want to seem unreasonable," replied the prisoner. "I don't mind a long sentence. I'm used to it. But say, judge, cut out the lecture that usually goes with it, won't you."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Brute.

"Yes, this room is dark, damp and positively uninhabitable. It is supplied for your wife's mother, if she has one."

"She has. I'll take the flat."—Boston Traveler.

An Old Timer.

"He's an old newspaper man."

"About how old?"

"Well, he can remember when they only issued extras when something happened."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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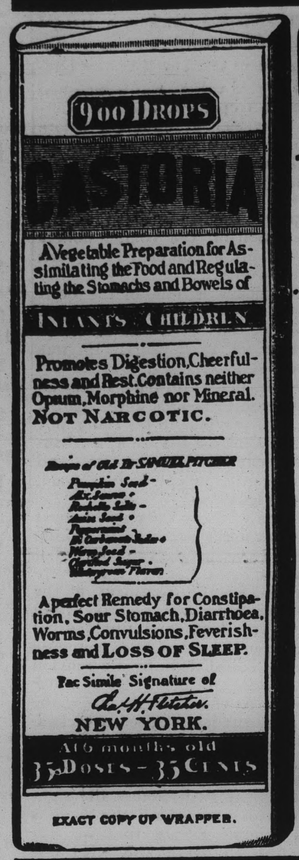
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